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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
Sebastian Bohm *et al.*

Application No.: 10/027,516

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For: MICROFLUIDIC SYSTEM INCLUDING A  
VIRUTAL WALL FLUID INTERFACE PORT  
FOR INTERFACING FLUIDS WITH THE  
MICROFLUIDIC SYSTEM

Examiner: L. Alexander

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

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Dear Madam:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated September 9, 2008 (Paper No. 20080904), the response due date of which is extended to March 9, 2009, by the accompanying Request for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as part of a Request for Continuing Examination filed concurrently herewith.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.